

CLASSIFIED MESSAGE

DATE : 28 JUNE 54

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TO : DIRECTOR

FROM : LINCOLN

ACTION: WH (PBS)(1-3)

INFO : WH (4), DGI (5), D/DGI (6), DD/P (L)(7), SA/PG/DGI (8)

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PRECEDENCE

TO: OPIM SGUAT

INFO: OPIM DIR

CITE: SLING

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REF: A. SLING 1458 (IN 22806)

B. DIR 06769 *

C. SLING 1467 (IN 22836)

1. LING RECOGNIZES POSSIBLE CONFLICT IN YOUR RECEIVING ORDERS FROM TWO PLACES NEVERTHELESS BELIEVE ACTION TAKEN ON REF A WILL NOT CONFLICT TOO SERIOUSLY WITH REF B.

2. REF C WAS SENT BEFORE RECEIVING STANDEL-1'S SPEECH WHICH FAILED TO MENTION HIS REMOVAL OF COMMUNISTS AS REPORTED IN GUAT 986 (IN 22794). THINKING HERE WAS BASED ON OUR HAVING A CRACK IN THE DOOR TO PUT FOOT IN WHICH COULD BE EXPLOITED. SECOND THOUGHT IS THAT SWALLOW SHOULD MEDIATE BUT THIS NOT TOO GOOD AS HE WOULD HAVE TO FOLLOW OSORIO WHO IS NOT OUR MAN.

3. LING BELIEVES [] IS BETTER CHOICE THAN SMILEX TO REPLACE STANDEL-1 AS CLOSER TO BEING AGREEABLE TO RECOGNITION OF CALLIGERIS WHICH IS IMPORTANT TO OUR OBJECTIVES.

4. ON THEORY FULL ADVANTAGE SHOULD BE TAKEN OF FIRST ENEMY

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WEAKNESS LING HAS DIRECTED AIR STRIKES FOR ADAM AFTERNOON 28 JUNE ON TGW TRANSMITTER BLDG, MATAMOROS AND FLAK SUPPRESSION. ANTICIPATE THIS SHOW OF STRENGTH WILL PROVIDE SUBSTANCE TO ANY CONSIDERATION OF CALLIGERIS'S POSITION.

END OF MESSAGE

CABLE SECRETARIAT COMMENT: MR. ESTERLINE, WH, ISSUED TEMPO COPY OF THIS MESSAGE AT 0530 28 JUNE 54.

* APPARENTLY WRONG REF. SEE DIR 06759
(OUT 57820).

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